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AN ANALYSIS
OF THE
NORTHROP LOOM SALES

shown in our January Cotton Chats brings out some interesting facts.

Dividing the country into two groups of mills, one including those in the New England, Middle and Western States and the other including the Southern states, we find

108,687 NORTHROP LOOMS
IN THE FORMER AND
131,832 NORTHROP LOOMS
IN THE LATTER;

or a little **over twenty-one** per cent. more Northrop Looms in the South than in all the rest of the country put together.

South Carolina with 71,488, remains the banner state; Massachusetts ranks second with 40,771.

The Northrop Looms in each state in the United States including orders to January 1, 1913, are as follows:

NEW ENGLAND STATES.

Connecticut	7,567
Maine	16,588
Massachusetts	40,771
New Hampshire	14,329
Rhode Island	17,085
Vermont	1,402

MIDDLE AND WESTERN STATES.

California	121
Delaware	20
Illinois	96
Indiana	956
Missouri	978
New Jersey	2,295
New York	5,937
Pennsylvania	542
	108,687

SOUTHERN STATES.

Alabama	10,004
Georgia	21,468
Louisiana	714
Maryland	133
Mississippi	380
North Carolina	19,324
South Carolina	71,488
Tennessee	2,962
Texas	14
Virginia	5,345
	131,832

Our shipments were:

In 1909

22,389 Northrop Looms

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22,855 Northrop Looms

In 1911

21,015 Northrop Looms

In 1912

20,814 Northrop Looms

Jan. 1, 1913

10,809 Northrop Looms on order

97,882 Northrop Looms

shipped and on order in four years, Jan. 1, 1909, to Jan. 1, 1913.

Of the total shipments of Northrop Looms in 1912, about two-thirds replaced old common looms. This replacement pertained to a much greater extent in northern territory where it was slightly over 78 per cent., than in southern territory where it was about 45 per cent.

CONCISELY STATED,

NORTHROP LOOMS,

compared with common looms,
require less weavers;
earn more wages per weaver;
improve quality of goods;
weave more yards per annum.

Our illustration on next page shows common looms in process of destruction by the California Cotton Mills Company, Oakland, California, pending replacement by new Northrop Looms. A few Northrop looms are seen at the left hand side of view.